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Dr. Moss, an award-winning author, recently received an *Honorary Doctorate of Humanities* conferred by **King's College** in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. The accolade is based on her career as a respected teacher and an important author who researched a little known category of African American soldiers during the Civil War.

She resides in Alexandria, Virginia, with her husband, Edward. Dr. Moss is available for speaking engagements and book discussions.

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FORGOTTEN BLACK SOLDIERS WHO SERVED IN WHITE REGIMENTS DURING THE CIVIL WAR



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My 11-year odyssey led me to Decatur, Alabama, on July 11, 2009 to an event that took 99 years in the making. Pvt. Amos McKinney of the 1st Alabama Calvary finally received his Union tombstone in Sykes Cemetery where he was buried in an unmarked grave next to his wife whose tombstone was identified.



The McKinney Family [at right], friends, local dignitaries, & Civil War re-enactors dressed in period clothing were the audience on a steamy summer day.



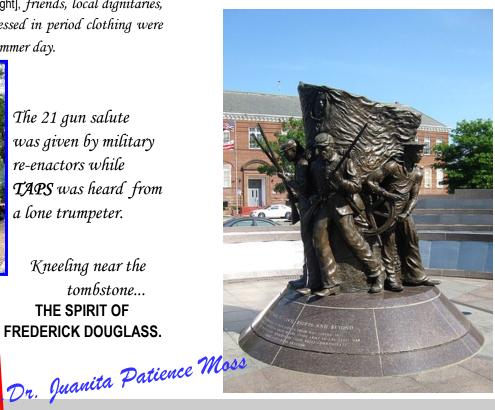
The 21 gun salute was given by military re-enactors while TAPS was heard from a lone trumpeter.

> Kneeling near the tombstone...

THE SPIRIT OF FREDERICK DOUGLASS.

The Forgotten Black Soldiers in White Regiments During The Civil War.

Have you ever seen the movie, "Glory," starring Denzel Washington? It was made in 1989 and it was the first time this author heard about the segregated regiments that had been organized during the Civil War, even though she had studied the Civil War both in high school and college. She was not alone in this. What she did know is that she had an ancestor who had been a Civil War veteran. In 1998, she learned about a new monument in Washington, D.C., created to honor the black soldiers and sailors who had served in the Civil War



What she was about to learn, however. was that her great grandfather's name would not be among those remembered there. Why not? Because he had not served in one of the segregated units whose members' names are engraved on the memorial wall. Instead. Crowder Pacien/Patience had served in a white regiment. An identifiably "Col'd" man, he had been a private in the 103rd Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

After having been told that there had been no black soldiers serving in white regiments, the author made a hypothesis that if there had been one such black soldier in a white regiment, as she knew, then there might have been others.

This book traces her journey to such proof. The hundreds of names listed here should be proof enough for the "naysayers" to conclude that black men indeed did serve in white regiments. Historians and Civil War "buffs" alike will find new information revealed in this book, even though 146 years have passed since the last shot of the war was fired.

Civil War history is still amazingly of great interest to many people.

An index to full names, places and subjects adds to the value of this book.

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